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Please add at page 19, after the heading, the following sub-heading:

-- What is claimed is: --

**Amendments to the Claims:**

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the application:

**Listing of Claims:**

Claims 1-23 (cancelled)

Claim 24 (new): An electrohydraulic servo drive for operating a door, the drive comprising a hydraulic circuit for holding the door open, the hydraulic circuit comprising a hydraulically controlled hold-open valve.

Claim 25 (new): An electrohydraulic servo drive as in claim 24 wherein the hold-open valve comprises a 2/2-way directional control valve.

Claim 26 (new): An electrohydraulic servo drive as in claim 25 wherein the 2/2-way directional control valve is a lockable non-return valve.

Claim 27 (new): An electrohydraulic servo drive as in claim 24 wherein the 2/2-way directional control valve is a slide valve.

Claim 28 (new): An electrohydraulic servo drive as in claim 25 wherein the hold-open valve further comprises a control piston and a non-return valve.

Claim 29 (new): An electrohydraulic servo drive as in claim 28 wherein at least one of said control piston and said non-return valve is spring loaded.

Claim 30 (new): An electrohydraulic servo drive as in claim 24 comprising a piston which moves in a piston space to operate the door, the piston space being subjected to a hydraulic pressure which is greater than the control pressure in the hold-open valve.

Claim 31 (new): An electrohydraulic drive as in claim 28 wherein the 2/2-way directional control valve has a sealing surface, the control piston having an effective piston surface which is larger than the sealing surface of the 2/2-way directional control valve.

Claim 32 (new): An electrohydraulic drive as in claim 24 wherein the hydraulic circuit comprises a pump driven by a motor, wherein the motor is one of a DC motor, an electronically commutated motor, a speed-controlled AC motor, and a speed-controlled 3-phase motor.

Claim 33 (new): An electrohydraulic drive as in claim 24 wherein the hydraulic circuit comprises means for separating forward flow and return flow.

Claim 34 (new): An electrohydraulic drive as in claim 28 wherein the non-return valve is integrated into the control piston.

Claim 35 (new): An electrohydraulic drive as in claim 28 wherein the non-return valve is provided in a bypass around the 2/2-way directional control valve.

Claim 36 (new): An electrohydraulic drive as in claim 24 wherein the hydraulic circuit comprises at least one throttle valve for controlling at least one of opening and closing movement.

Claim 37 (new): An electrohydraulic drive as in claim 32 wherein the pump produces hydraulic pressure for controlling the hold-open valve.

Claim 38 (new): An electrohydraulic drive as in claim 28 further comprising an adjustable valve installed parallel to the hold-open valve for adjusting the leakage flow at the control piston so that the switching speed of the 2/2-way directional control valve can be controlled.

Claim 39 (new): An electrohydraulic drive as in claim 38 wherein the adjustable valve comprises a closing body acting on a spring so that the adjustable valve closes as a function of hydraulic pressure and reduces leakage flow during opening of the door.

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Claim 40 (new): An electrohydraulic drive as in claim 38 further comprising a hydraulic line leading from a pump and a hydraulic line leading to a tank space, the adjustable valve being provided between the hydraulic lines.

Claim 41 (new): An electrohydraulic drive as in claim 32 further comprising an auxiliary device for performing a support function during actuation of a door, the support device comprising a motor amplifier connected to the motor.

Claim 42 (new): An electrohydraulic drive as in claim 42 wherein the motor amplifier controls the motor speed by pulse width modulation.

Claim 43 (new): An electrohydraulic drive as in claim 41 further comprising a controller/current regulator for the motor amplifier.

Claim 44 (new): An electrohydraulic drive as in claim 43 further comprising a voltage supply connected to the controller/current regulator and to the motor amplifier.

Claim 45 (new): An electrohydraulic drive as in claim 43 further comprising:  
a pinion driven by a piston to operate the door, and  
a position sensor which cooperates with the pinion, wherein the controller/current regulator is connected to the position sensor.

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Claim 46 (new): An electrohydraulic drive as in claim 43 wherein the controller/current regulator comprises a D/A converter.

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**Amendments to the Drawings:**

The attached set of drawings includes changes to Figure 2, so that it agrees with the specification, and a translation of the legends in Figures 9 and 10. There are no changes in the other figures.

Attachment: Replacement Sheets